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SUBJ: COMPOSITION OF REVOLUTIONARY TECHNICAL COMMISSIONS

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1. FOUR TECHNICAL COMMISSIONS WERE ESTABLISHED BY SUPREME MILITARY COUNCIL (SMC) SHORTLY AFTER COUP (REFTEL. ACCORDING PUBLIC PRONOUNCEMENTS, COUNCILS HAVE BEEN MEETING REGULARLY AND FOR LONG SESSIONS. EXCEPT FOR MILITARY COMMISSION WHICH HEADED BY GEN. NGUENABAYE (EX-DOUMRO), COMMISSIONS ARE LED BY JUNIOR OFFICERS. EMB HAS NOW IDENTIFIED APPROXIMATELY HALF OF 44 MEMBERS OF THE THREE "CIVILIAN" COMMISSIONS (MILITARY COMMISSION COMPOSED OF HEADS OF SERVICES), MOST OF WHOM LISTED IN PRESS BY SURNAME ONLY, AND SOME CONCLUSIONS MAY BE DRAWN. EFFORT HAS BEEN MADE TO OBTAIN GEOGRAPHICAL AND ETHNIC VARIETY, BUT IN GENERAL MEMBERS DRAWN FROM SMALL CHADIAN ESTABLISHMENT AND HAVE HELD POSITIONS IMPORTANCE UNDER TOMBALBAYE REGIME. THREE WERE MINISTERS IN LAST TOMBALBAYE CABINET (LAMANA, DORALTA, AND BAROUM); OTHERS INCLUDE FORMER MINISTERS, OFFICE DIRECTORS, PREFECTS, SUB-PREFECTS, MAYORS,

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ETC. SMC PRESIDENT MALLOUM'S COMMENT APRIL 20 THAT HE AWARE

COMMISSIONS INCLUDED NUMBER "TWO FACED" PERSONS REFLECTS HIS AWARENESS OF LOCAL CRITICISM THAT COMMISSION INCLUDE SAME OLD GANG AND OF REALITY THAT CHAD HAS SO FEW EXPERIENCED PEOPLE THAT THE SMC HAS HAD LITTLE CHOICE.

2. COMMISSION OF ENQUIRY AND CONTROL ON FINANCIAL AND MATERIAL SITUATION: PRESIDENT, CAPTAIN TATALA NGARZOKETE--COMPETENT AND INTELLIGENT YOUNG OFFICER, BORN 1944, IN MOISELLA, SARA M'BAYE TRIBE, AIDE TO CHIEF OF PRESIDENT TOMBALBAYE'S MILITARY CABINET, GEN. DJOGO. VICE PRESIDENT, NADJITOIDE (EX GASTON TARDIA), FORMERLY CUSTOMS DIRECTOR WITH GOOD REPUTATION FOR HONESTY, JAILED FOR MONTH IN EARLY 1974 REPORTEDLY FOR REFUSING ALLOW FORMER MINISTER CUSTOMS FREE ENTRY, DOMATED TO CUSTOMS CHIEF AT BONGOR. OTHER MEMBERS INCLUDE FORMER SECRETARY GENERAL OF GOVERNMENT TRAOTOBAYE; FORMER DIRECTOR FINANCE JARNAGE WHO LOST POSITION IN DISPUTE WITH ABBE NASSOUR OVER LATTER'S INCOME TAXES; LAST DIRECTOR FINANCE BEREMADJI; MAYOR OF SARH ILAMOKO; CIVIL SERVICE DIRECTOR MABROUK; PREVIOUS STATE DEPARTMENT INTERNATIONAL VISITOR AND MINISTRY FINANCE OFFICIAL ENOCH YOSSANENGAR; ACTING DIRECTOR, DEVELOPMENT BACK FARIS, AND SEVEN OTHERS.

3. COMMISSION ON REGULATIONS OF CIVIL SERVICE: CHAIRMAN LT. DOMTITA NGARBOROU, AIDE TO COL. MOGOTA, BELOW; VICE PRESIDENT MADINGAR, PRESUMABLY FMRMER DEPUTY SEC GEN OF GOVERNMENT. MEMBERS INCLUDE FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER DORALTA AND MFA SEC GEN NANASBAYE; FORMER MINISTER EDUCATION GARANDI; FORMER PRESIDENT SUPREME COURT (AND LEADERSGRANTEE) RONQIAR; AND SOMEWHAT SURPRISINGLY SOULEYMAN DJONOUA, FORMER PUBWIC ADMINISTRATION DURECTOR OF MINISTRY PUBLIC ADMIN AND LABOR, FORMER PREFECT OF OUADDAI AND HALF-BROTHER OF IMPRISONED TOMBALBAYE MINISTER PUBLIC WORKS AND DROUGHT COORDINATOR ABDOULAYE DJONOUA; PLUS THREE OTHERS.

4. COMMISSION FOR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL STUDIES: PRESIDENT LT. DORING AN ARMY ENGINEER, ON WHOM NO BIO DATA AVAILABL; VICE PRESIDENTIKERIM TOGOI, FORMER SECSTATE MINISTRY PUBLIC WORKS AND PRINCIPAL ASSISTANT OF JAILED FORMER MINISTER ABDOULAYE DJONOUA; FORMER MINISTER PUBLIC HEALTH BAROUM; CHAMBER COMMERCE SEC GEN NGANBET; DIRECTOR NATIONAL SCHOOL ADMINIS-
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TRATION GUELINA; DIRECTRICE SOCIAL AFFAIRS BINTOU MALLOUM; ONDR OFFICIAL OUARDOUGOU (EX-FORESTIER); BANK (BEAC) OFFICER DJIMASNGAR (EX-NANDIGUI); VETERINARY DR. TOUADE OF FARCHA INSTITUTE; AND EIGHT OTHERS.

5. MILITARY COMMISSION: PRESIDENT GEN. NGUENABAYE NGARO (EX-DOUMRO) (SEE N'DJAMENA 921); VICE PRESIDENT COL MOISE MOGOTA, 40 YEAR OLD FORMER CHIEF OF STAFF CHADIAN ARMY,

SENIOR MILITARY OFFICER WHO ALLEGEDLY OWES PROMOTION TO SARA
FAMILY CONNECTIONS AS TO ABILITY; OTHER MEMBERS INCLUDE
CHIEFS OF ARMY, GENDARMERIE, NATIONAL GUARD, AND AIR FORCE,
AND ONE CIVILIAN.
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